

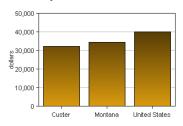
Custer, Montana

Custer is one of 56 counties in Montana. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2008 population of 11,103 ranked 17th in the state.

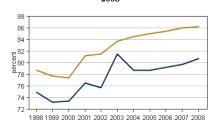
PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2008 Custer had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$32,458. This PCPI ranked 28th in the state and was 94 percent of the state average, \$34,622, and 81 percent of the national average, \$40,166. The 2008 PCPI reflected an increase of 3.3 percent from 2007. The 2007-2008 state change was 2.0 percent and the national change was 2.0 percent. In 1998 the PCPI of Custer was \$20,418 and ranked 17th in the state. The 1998-2008 average annual growth rate of PCPI_{Was} 4.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.9 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

Per Capita Personal Income, 2008



Per Capita Income as a Percent of the United States,





TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

	2007-08 percent change	1998-2008 AAGR			
Custer	3.2 %	4.0 %			
Montana	3.2 %	5.8 %			
U.S.	2.9 %	5.0 %			
AAGR: average annual growth rate					

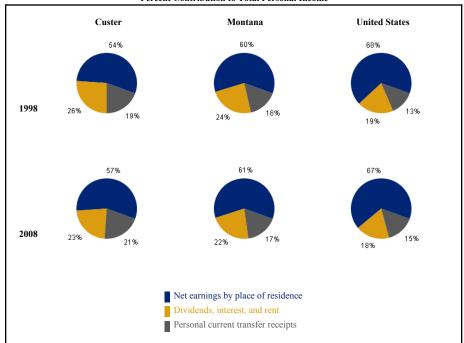
In 2008 Custer had a total personal income (TPI) of $\$360,385^*$. This TPI ranked 17th in the state and accounted for 1.1 percent of the state total. In 1998 the TPI of Custer was $\$244,298^*$ and ranked 14th in the state.

*Note: Total personal income estimates are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Custer.

Percent Contribution to Total Personal Income



2007-2008 percent change					
	Custer	Montana	U.S.		
Net earnings	3.4 %	2.7 %	2.0 %		
Dividends, interest, and rent	0.4 %	0.1 %	1.3 %		
Personal current transfer receipts	6.0 %	9.6 %	9.2 %		

1998-2008 average annual growth rate				
	Custer	Montana	U.S.	
Net earnings	4.4 %	5.8 %	4.8 %	
Dividends, interest, and rent	2.5 %	5.0 %	4.2 %	
Personal current transfer receipts	4.7 %	6.6 %	6.7 %	